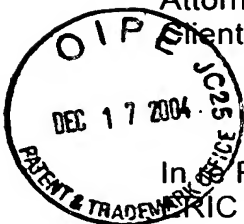


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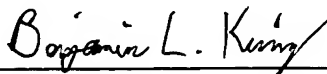
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TOTAL	37	-	35	= 2	\$ 50.00 = \$ 100.00
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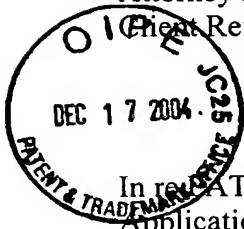
Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$1,300.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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In response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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